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\$2.50 A YEAR

POTATO ACREAGE ON EAST BEACH ESTIMATED AS 500

Plantings To Be Made
Later May Advance
Total To 600

CONDITION GOOD AND FINE OUTLOOK

Crop Short In North
Promises High
Prices Here

The first crop of potatoes from
Florida was shipped Wednesday.

Five hundred acres of potatoes have been planted in the Pahokee-Canal Point district, it appears from the quantity of seed sold, and this will be increased by plantings to be made before the first of February. This, the largest acreage of potatoes ever planted in this district, has not entailed reduction in acreage of any of the other truck crops; it is an instance of the diversification permitted by better drainage, which enlarges the area of land available for cropping. Most of the potato acreage is in the Pahokee section.

The equivalent of eleven car loads of seed potatoes has been sold in this district, made up of nine full car loads of seed potatoes brought in by the Florida East Coast railroad, the balance being in less than car lot shipments and in trucks from West Palm Beach. Two hundred and fifty bags is the minimum car load, indicating that between 2,500 and 3,000 bags have come to the district to plant some 6 bags of seed to the acre.

At least half of the 500 acres was planted at least a month ago, as potatoes are an 80-day crop, the movement of new potatoes to market from the Pahokee-Canal Point district will start the latter part of February. The larger part of the East Beach potato crop will be out before the Hastings district starts shipping in March.

New potatoes usually sell at \$12 to \$15 a barrel in the early weeks of the marketing; it is likely, however, that in view of the short stock of old potatoes the price will reach the \$15 to \$18 market of a few years ago.

Although the potatoes in this district will be dug before they have attained full size, it is estimated that the yield will be upward of 100 bushels to the acre, to be packed in bushel crates and sell for \$3.50 a crate and upward. The vines in all of the fields are in good condition, no insects or diseases having appeared. Practically the entire crop will be in by the time in February when a frost is probable. Corn is a good crop to follow potatoes and will be planted rather generally.

Seek New Right of Way For F. E. C. Railroad

Contractor For Construction
Awaits Information As To
Where To Build Line

The railway company not being in position to deliver a right of way on which the construction company can start to work, establishment of a camp by the C. G. Kershaw Construction Company of Birmingham, Ala., is held up. Resumption of construction of the Okaloosa-Miami extension of the railway will be delayed until right of way is procured. The Kershaw company was to have put in a line of survey before the first of January.

Looking a route alternative to one on the lake front in section 8, railroad surveyors are running a line through section 17 to section 20. A second alternative line may also be run to get data on which to base estimate

of the cost of construction and right of way on the three routes.

Report comes to The Everglades News by way of West Palm Beach that negotiations are in process which if consummated will give the railway passage through section 4 if a route through that section is decided as being better than two other proposed routes.

FINEST CRUISER

Boat To Run Between
Canal Point and Clewiston Townsite

For use in taking prospective buyers of lots to the property on the southwest side of Lake Okechobee, the Clewiston Sales Organization has bought the finest cruising boat that ever sailed on the lake. The boat, "Queen of the Lake," was delivered at Canal Point Tuesday by its former owners, Guy Pearl and his brother, Ray Pearl, of Charlevoix, Mich.

Guy Pearl said the sale of the boat was made to Henry Clarke of the Clewiston Sales Organization Monday at West Palm Beach.

The Pearls left Charlevoix, Mich., on the cruiser September 1 and came through the Great Lakes to the Atlantic-coastline channel.

The cruiser was built at the Green Bay, Wis., boat works in 1916; it is 16-foot beam and 54 feet length, fitted with twin 40 horsepower Wisconsin engines and draws 3 feet of water and has a cruising speed of 12 miles an hour. Its woodwork is cabined mahogany. The original cost of the boat was probably about \$35,000.

Clewiston is about 22 miles from Canal Point.

Three million dollar bond issue for the West Palm Beach inlet was approved at the election held Tuesday.

WEEK'S VEGETABLE SHIPMENT

From Canal Point via F. E. C.

	Local Cars	Express Cars	Total
Dec. 31	1	1	2
Jan. 1	1	1	2
Jan. 2	1	1	2
Jan. 3	1	1	2
Jan. 4	1	1	2
Jan. 5	1	1	2
Jan. 6	1	1	2

Amateur Farmer Hopes To Do Better Next Time: Cleared Only \$1,000 on Half Interest In 8-Acre Bean Crop on 'Worn Out' Land At Canal Point

What kind of luck T. C. Yarbrough, a grocer from Atlanta, Ga., had in his first farming experience on East Beach is told in what is to follow. It will be noted that almost every bad thing that could happen did happen to him: He farmed land that had been in sugar cane for four years, yielding around 40 tons to the acre—worn-out land, you might say; he didn't get a good stand of beans, he didn't fertilize the land, frost ran through the field, the cold winds beat the beans but to go ahead with the story:

Business wasn't very good in Georgia so Mr. Yarbrough put a grocery store in the hands and started on a trip to Florida. When he got to Canal Point he liked the looks of the soil, so he called the office of the newspaper and was referred to W. H. Vann at the real estate office, as a result of which he got five acres of sugar cane land. A temporary partnership was made with J. J. Rigdon, who also had taken five acres.

Rigdon and Yarbrough put

CONTRACT LET IN GLADES COUNTY \$800,000 ROADS

Total Awards For Work
In Three New Special
Districts

LINKS IN SYSTEM ALL AROUND LAKE

Construction Begins On
Court House To
Cost \$150,000

MOORE HAVEN, Jan. 5.—Contract for \$800,000 worth of modern good roads was let to W. T. Taylor by the Glades county commissioner today. This contract embraces work in the three recently created road districts, and will give Glades one of the most complete road systems of any county in the south, compared to size and population. Main features of this contract are the widening of all present improved roads to 16 feet and giving them a new surfacing of hot oil and Birmingham slag, the regular surface treatment used by the state road department. Roads of this class will connect with the main road from Haines City south, with the Port Myers-West Palm Beach cross state highway and with the main road through Hendry county to Collier county.

Every community of any importance will be connected with improved roads with every other community of the county. Actual construction of Glades county's \$150,000 courthouse started today. The building will be one of the most handsome brick buildings of any of the smaller counties of Florida.

Marshall & Jackson of Lakeland are the contractors. In spite of embezzles they have been able to get machinery and material together and promise completion in six months.

To January 5 the number of cars of beans rolled out Florida in the season was 193; to that date last year there had been 304 cars.

in eight acres of snap beans. The beans got up and the came a frost; they got one picking and then the holiday season came on and they couldn't get pickers and had to let a quantity of beans stay on the vines and get hard that would have made more than 100 bushels. But it didn't make much difference; prices weren't very good just then anyway. So the beans were plowed under. Of the beans the second picking before the field was re-plowed, some were frozen in transit. They had to give one-fifth of the produce for use of the land.

As the result of this series of hard luck the grocer from Atlanta and his partner got only 900 bushels from the first picking of the eight acre field and 439 from the latter pickings and Mr. Yarbrough has received only a little over \$1,000 as his share so far. Returns are yet to be reported on the 75 bushels that were shipped from the later pickings. Claim has been put in for the frozen beans. The first of the eight acres of beans were planted October 20 and Mr. Yarbrough had to wait 60 days to get \$1,000 return on his enterprise. He feels, though, now that he has had some experience in farming in the Lake Okechobee region, he may do better on the five acres that will have a crop of tomatoes in four months.

DOING BIG WORK AT PORT MAYACA SAVING NOTHING

Another Dredge Is En
Route To Phipps St.
Lucie Property

START BUS LINE TO WEST PALM BEACH

Thirty Carpenters Em-
ployed On Construc-
tion Camp Houses

The dredge Tusawilla, one of the best machines of its class, has been bought from the Seaboard Dredging Company and is being moved to Port Mayaca on Lake Okechobee to dredge lagoons and make fills, according to reports from Jacksonville. This dredge a few years ago did the first work on the Palm Beach inlet. The work the Tusawilla will do will be in addition to that of the Eastman & Campbell clamshell dredge that will complete lagoon No. 1, about 150 feet long and 25 feet wide and start on lagoon No. 2.

Thirty carpenters are erecting commissary building and houses for white workmen and negro laborers. Lumber is being procured from the St. Ann Levee Bay Company's mill at Sherman east of Okechobee and shipped on the Seaboard railroad to Indian town.

Phil Y. Cason, who farmed at Ritta a few years ago, is planting 40 acres of the old SS ranch land to vegetables, the first unit of the agricultural development. He has moved to the property from West Palm Beach.

For the convenience of members of the staff and others who have business with the development, a bus line has been established by the Mayaca Company between West Palm Beach and Port Mayaca. The bus service will be available to use by the general public.

Of the several important developments in the upper Everglades, the Mayaca Company's enterprise on Lake Okechobee at St. Lucie canal nine miles north of Canal Point promises to be the largest and is the most remarkable of the number of its conduct. Surveyors, civil engineers, city planners, architects, soil specialists and agricultural experts have been at work for months on the most comprehensive preliminary work ever done on a Florida townsite and evidently tens of thousands of dollars have been spent in procuring data but no lots have been offered for sale and no statement of program has been made.

Six thousand four hundred acres of land fronting seven miles on Lake Okechobee and extending several miles back from the lake was bought from W. J. Connors by a corporation known as the Mayaca Company, which is understood to be a John S. Phipps corporation. The Phipps family is one of the wealthiest families in the United States.

George M. Osborn of West Palm Beach, Mr. Phipps' representative, has declined to make a statement of the plans for the development, on the ground that the policy is to first have the fundamental basis of the enterprise thoroughly worked out and the construction work under way.

Charles H. Ruggles of West Palm Beach, who as county engineer twelve years ago built Dixie Highway, is the chief engineer of the Port Mayaca development. He is the dean of South Florida civil engineers and was president of a state association of civil engineers.

If reports are correct, there will be a big hotel on the lake front, three golf courses, a high class residential section, an industrial section and a small farm development.

Put Lateral Ditch On Line of Secs. 8 and 17

Complaint of Land Owners Is
Met By Expanding Plan
of Reclamation

A drainage ditch will be cut on the south line of section 8 between that section and section 17, by the Bryan & Holloway ditching machine that is now on East Beach, according to a report that is confirmed by J. E. Cochran, business manager of Pahokee drainage district. The ditch will be on an east and west line and will discharge into Pelican Lake, utilized in the plan of reclamation as a basin.

The plan of reclamation did not provide for a ditch in that location for service to land in section 8 and this omission has been a cause for complaint by owners. The arrangement now made is satisfactory to all of the owners. It is understood that although the district has no money with which to make payment, the contractor will carry the district until payment of taxes replenishes the fund.

TAKING 'PANAMA' OUT OF DISTRICT?

'State' Drainage Board
Seems To Be Surrendering Equipment

Commissioners of Everglades drainage district have sold to the Clark Dredging Company of Miami the dredge Panama which has been working in Hillsboro canal for a year and the Osceola would get the Panama according to report.

A tug owned by the Clark Dredging Company passed the Port Mayaca Wednesday morning for Hillsboro canal. Captain Clay Johnson's boat Osceola came into this harbor Tuesday night and went out the next morning in company with the Clark company's tug. It was understood that the tug and the Osceola would get the Panama and tow it through Lake Okechobee to St. Lucie canal, or to a point in St. Lucie canal, where the enterprise would cut off from it, leaving the tug to take the dredge the rest of the way to Miami.

The Everglades News has no information as to why the Panama is withdrawn from work in Hillsboro canal.

The Clark Dredging Company is understood to be controlled by the interests that composed the Fourth-Clark Dredging Company, which was merged with The Arundel Corporation. The Arundel Corporation has several contracts with the district. It bought from the district several years ago the Caloosahatchee dredge which is now working in West Palm Beach canal and the Miami which is working in North New River canal.

CAPTAIN PRICE BACK

W. R. Price, who was captain of boats on the McCoy Everglades Line before the boats of Moore Haven were laid off, is to be the captain of the Clewiston sales organization's Queen of the Lake. Captain Price returned to West Palm Beach a few weeks ago after a long stay at his home in Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barrett are on a business trip to Sarasota.

BID \$11 FOR BEANS UPPER GLADES IS ONLY PRODUCER

Markets In Boston and
Chicago Bare, Call
For Supplies

ONLY 10 CARS FROM STATE IN 2 WEEKS

More Than Half or Na-
tion's Production Is
From Pahokee

More than half of all the snap beans that are going to northern markets are being shipped from the Canal Point-Pahokee district, as a result of which \$5 a hamper and more is being paid here, with a \$7.50 to 11.50 market in the north.

Only 10 car loads of beans were shipped from all producing districts of Florida in the period from Christmas day to January 4, and six of these were from the Canal Point station to the Florida East Coast railroad. Of the remaining four cars probably all of them originated in the Belle Glades-South Bay district and were shipped through Clewiston. The records of shipments sustain the forecast made by The Everglades News last week that "A monopoly of the bean market is held by the districts of the upper Everglades," a condition produced by the practical immunity of lake-shore land from killing frosts.

The upper Glades will continue to be the chief source of supply for beans, English peas, peppers and eggplants, for several weeks.

Federal-State Service.

JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 6.—During the week ending January 4th, 16 cars of beans passed Paducah Yards, 3 cars destined Philadelphia and 13 cars to New York city. According to official government reports, Florida shipped during week ending January 5th, 18 cars of beans and no shipments were reported from other states.

Today's market: New York: Florida 7-8 bushel hampers, green best, \$7 to \$8, few high as \$9; fair stock, \$5 to \$6, ordinary to poor, \$2 to \$4.

The bean market reached peak prices this week when Pittsburgh reported sale direct to retailers at \$9 and \$10 per hamper; for bushel hampers fanner and best on few sales of small lots, \$11; and Wednesday in New York as high as \$12 as \$9. Boston \$10 and Cincinnati \$8 to \$9.

LATE NEWS ITEMS

The Seaboard Air Line Railway has awarded a contract for the West Palm Beach-Florida City extension to its east coast system to Foley Brothers, St. Paul, Minn., largest railway builders in the world.

A. O. Kanner, formerly state attorney of the 21st judicial district at St. Start, was appointed counsel to the trustees of the internal improvement fund and board to succeed John B. Johnson, who resigned to become attorney general.

A. G. Hartridge of West Palm Beach, was appointed judge of the criminal court of record for Palm Beach county by Governor Martin.

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ADDRESS

Frank, Honest Statement

About the Five-Acre and Ten-Acre Small-Farm Home-Site Tracts

On Conners Highway Near Canal Point

We are not "spilling bull" when we say there isn't much land for sale in the Everglades and that our offer of five-acre and ten-acre tracts in Sections 12 and 14, at Connersville, on Conners Highway, near the Canal Point sugar mill, is a real opportunity.

You don't see many advertisements of Everglades lands; the reason is that there isn't much of it for sale. The owners know how good it is; they don't expect uninformed persons to go to the trouble of finding out, and the owners aren't anxious enough to sell to go to the trouble of hunting them up and telling them.

Wealth is accumulating in the upper Everglades; the resident farmers are paying out on the tracts they bought on time payments a few years ago; and they are holding on to their homes. Every farmer in the upper Everglades plans to buy some more land as soon as he pays out on his first purchase.

H. C. Rorick of Toledo, Ohio, Paris Singer of Palm Beach, H. G. Geer of Palm Beach and A. L. Mathews of West Palm Beach own the large body of land south of "Connersville." They are not pushing sales; they are refraining from a selling campaign until the development work is completed. The Florida Sugar & Food Products Company, which owns land on the west, has no land for sale; it needs all of its land to grow cane to maintain the mill. R. G. Johnson and S. W. Bollinger, other owners in this locality, are buyers, not sellers. We say again, we are not "spilling bull" when we say that your chance to get a small-farm tract on a paved road near Lake Okeechobee is a real opportunity.

The Syndicate we represent as Selling Agents wants to see the upper Everglades developed and populated quickly; they know that some one has got to turn loose of some land in small tracts to bring this about. If or when the other owners start selling, the increase in population will react to give higher value to the tracts we offer and make every one of these tracts as marketable and as good collateral as a government bond, for this is income-making property.

Buy one or more of these tracts on the same principle that you take out Life Insurance or start a Savings Account.

These five-acre and ten-acre tracts at Connersville, on Conners Highway, are about the same distance from Lake Okeechobee on the east side that Belle Glade is distant from the lake on the south side.

Remember that this is well-drained land—not "raw sawgrass muck." Do not compare it with wild land that is not drained and has never been cultivated. No period of waiting is needed to get the soil in condition for farming.

Mr. A. Hansen is the dairyman at Pahokee; he is a good dairyman, trained in the methods of Denmark, the greatest dairy country in the world. He has operated dairies in Texas and elsewhere, and he knows the upper Everglades, its climate and its pastures. He wanted to take over the old dairy farm at "Connersville," in Section 12—that's what that best local dairyman thinks of this land for dairymen.

Celery experts from Sanford grew celery on this land and said it was prime land and conditions for celery. Sanford is "the Celery City"; growing celery is the principle industry there; fortunes have been made in the business, and the main street is Celery Avenue. Do you remember Kalamazoo celery? Its fame resulted from its growth in muck soil. You want celery tender, of course. Well, all vegetation that grows in this muck soil grows quickly—that's what makes it so tender.

A few years ago John Zimmer, now of West Palm Beach, had a hog ranch near the lands we are offering. He is not a salesman for our lands but we believe he will tell any inquirer about the method by which more money can be made on hogs in the Glades than by most any other system of general farming. He will attest that the poultry business will be highly profitable there.

Howard Sharp, the Editor of The Everglades News, knows all sections of the Everglades. He has seen upward of fifty kinds of vegetables thriving in this soil. He remembers when W. J. Conners, Sr., shipped literally train loads of produce from these lands.

The owners of the Kubin & Jonas Farms nearby, learned by experience that crops of corn can be raised, yielding above the Missouri Valley farm average.

These citations do not tell it all. Other persons that you know or are known to you can tell you the same thing about dairying, trucking, hog raising and general farming on land of the type we are offering.

But these citations do confirm our representation that these five-acre and ten-acre farm tracts we are offering are the best real estate values in Florida—best because they furnish sites for homes and the material for making money on the home-site.

CONNERS FARMS, Inc. W. J. CONNERS, JR. President

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CALL OR ADDRESS

O'Dowd & Wertheimer
313 1/2 Clematis Ave. WEST PALM BEACH Selling Agents

Also selling north 1-2, Sec. 24, between Okeechobee and Sherman, on Jupiter Road, 2 to 8 acre tracts.

PALM BOAT & BUS LINE

Change of Schedule

6-HOUR SERVICE
West Palm Beach-Fort Myers
Read down Eastbound
Read up Westbound
8:30 a.m. West Palm Beach 6:00 p.m.
10:15 a.m. Canal Point 4:00 p.m.
2:00 p.m. Clewiston 12:45 p.m.
(One hour for lunch)
2:50 p.m. Moore Haven 11:00 a.m.
4:30 p.m. LaBelle 9:30 a.m.
Arr 6:00 p.m. Fort Myers, Lv 8:30 a.m.
Daily
Ticket office: Florida Motor Lines,
City Park, West Palm Beach
West Palm Beach
Phone 571

A. L. FITZGUGH,
731 Palm Street Phone 46153

Maria Lampe, Electrical Supplies,
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METAL WORKS For
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Work

LISTINGS WANTED

If you have land in the Everglades in large or small tracts, or if you have acreage or town lots anywhere on or near the East Coast in South Florida, list it with us. If taxes are unpaid write us and we will help you get the matter straightened out. If you deal with us you get a square deal.

Menoher-Edwards
Realty Company,
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SEED-GRAFTED AVOCADOS

Grows in
FULL SUNSHINE (No Shade)
The choicest varieties young and
thrifty stock.

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Indian River Nurseries
KRAEMER ISLAND, FLA.

STANDARD OIL STATION

Has been moved from the Highway Store to the Company's own property on Pahokee Road, opposite the Manfield house, near the F. E. C. Depot.

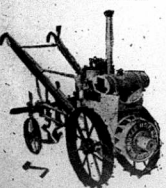
Call there for Gas and Oil or to leave orders. Office of the Company Agent is in the old Miss Hall Near-by.

J. G. WEEKS,
Agent.

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South Bay
for prices of Lumber and Household Hardware. If we haven't what you want, give us a chance to order it for you.

RED-E POWER CULTIVATOR



Specially equipped to cultivate beans and tomatoes on muck soil.
Come out to the farm and let me show you how it works.

AXEL JENSEN
PAHOKEE, FLA.

LOCKTENDERS' WEEKLY REPORT OF LAKE AND CANAL LEVELS

		LAKE GROUP					COASTAL GROUP					CALOOSA GROUP				
		Clewiston	North New River	Miami	Hillboro	Palm Beach	Clewiston	North New River	Miami	Hillboro	Palm Beach	Clewiston	North New River	Miami	Hillboro	Palm Beach
Sunday	UPPER POOL	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.8	17.7	17.5	12.0	5.2	3.2	4.6	1.5	6.7	12.4		
Monday	LOWER POOL	15.7	15.3	14.5	14.6	15.5	17.5	1.5	0.2	3.2	0.7	1.5	6.7	12.4		
Monday	UPPER POOL	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.8	17.7	17.4	12.0	5.2	3.2	4.6	1.5	6.7	12.3		
December 21	LOWER POOL	15.6	15.3	14.5	14.6	15.5	17.4	1.4	0.3	3.2	0.5	1.7	6.7	12.3		
Tuesday	UPPER POOL	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.7	17.7	17.4	12.0	5.3	3.2	4.6	1.7	7.2	12.3		
December 22	LOWER POOL	15.3	15.3	14.4	14.7	15.5	17.4	1.4	0.4	3.2	0.4	1.7	7.2	12.3		
Wednesday	UPPER POOL	17.9	17.8	18.6	17.9	17.4	12.0	5.3	3.2	4.7	1.7	7.0	12.2			
December 24	LOWER POOL	15.4	15.4	14.5	14.6	15.5	17.4	1.8	0.5	3.2	0.5	1.7	7.0	12.2		
Thursday	UPPER POOL	17.9	17.8	18.4	18.2	17.8	17.4	12.0	5.4	3.2	4.2	1.9	6.9	12.2		
December 25	LOWER POOL	15.4	15.4	14.5	14.7	15.5	17.4	1.5	0.2	3.2	0.8	1.9	6.9	12.2		
Friday	UPPER POOL	17.9	17.7	17.9	18.0	17.7	17.4	12.0	5.2	3.2	4.7	2.0	6.6	12.2		
December 26	LOWER POOL	15.3	15.3	14.6	14.7	15.4	17.4	1.6	0.2	3.2	1.1	2.0	6.6	12.2		
Saturday	UPPER POOL	17.8	17.7	17.8	17.9	17.9	17.5	12.0	5.2	3.2	4.6	2.0	6.6	12.2		
December 26	LOWER POOL	15.2	15.2	14.5	14.7	15.4	17.5	1.6	0.2	3.2	1.4	2.0	6.6	12.2		

Around The Great Lake

OKEECHOBEE

(Compiled From The News.)

Call has been made for an election in the city on a proposition to issue bonds in a total amount of \$215,000: \$70,000 for sewer and water main extensions, \$40,000 for city hall, \$13,000 for repairs and sewer extension, \$5,000 for park improvement and \$87,000 for street paving projects. The election will be held January 26.

Poor postal service, delaying the delivery of The News to its subscribers, has hurt the business of that newspaper.

Crew and material have arrived for the improvements in the telephone plant that have long been promised.

Mr. and Mrs. Kit Bowden have returned to Okeechobee to make it their permanent home. He will be with his brothers in the garage.

It is indicated that both Mayor Conley and Guy Storvall will be candidates for the legislature.

Hon. C. Bascom Slemph of Winston, D. C., once secretary to President Coolidge, visited Okeechobee holiday week as the guest of C. D. Kilgore, sales manager for Lon A. Hough & Company.

Five dairies are to open at Brighton this month, so one of the Curtis-Bright company officials says.

OKEELANTA

OKEELANTA, Jan. 13.—John Anjima, Jr., returning from his trap line the fore part of last week, reported a fire on the Bolles road, 3 miles west of town. The following day, John and Roth extinguished the fire, which had already set a bridge across one of the ditches burning. Three alligator hunters, who left their camp fire burning, were the responsible parties. After this, prosecution will follow any such act of carelessness or cussedness.

A number of cars parked in our crowded streets during Saturday, John Dupre, a frequent visitor, dropped in for a business chat with S. R. Copper; a heavy car bearing a Wyoming license, occupied by J. W. Edgar and wife from Sheridan, who were after some information about location of certain tracks, came in the same afternoon. In the evening, F. H. Benton, interested in the stock farm, 2 miles north, with Wm. H. Kaufmann and son, and Roger Moehman, the last three from Cincinnati, Ohio, arrived, stopping overnight at the hotel. It is fortunate for these early purchasers of Everglades lands that our postmaster, Sam Copper, has, during his 13 years of residence on the south shores of the lake, specialized on land lots and tract locations.

New potatoes were served at the hotel December 1, and green corn (roasting ears) graced the table on Christmas day. Isn't this pretty good for the sawgrass section, so much sneered at by the lake communities? You just watch Okeelanta's "smoke" in this friendly rivalry.

Three employees of the neighboring experiment station collected some soil samples from our vicinity on Sunday afternoon.

Butte, Montana, was represented in the person of Edw. Bolover, who is financially interested in some of our muck soil. After a short consultation with Copper, the gentleman left

for Lake Worth, his present winter quarters.

Our two local trappers, Hetherington and Anjima, took their last month's catch to Palm Beach, realizing satisfactory returns from the sale.

The many friends of Mrs. Ballinger, readers of this paper, will be pleased to learn of her physical improvement since her return to Okeelanta, her home town in Iowa.

The Hunts from Belle Glade have bought one more heifer out of the Huck herd last Sunday.

C. W. Reynolds and a friend, real estate men from Lake Worth, motored in on Monday for an interview with the postmaster.

CLEWISTON

CLEWISTON, Jan. 3.—Engineering work in connection with the drainage and water control of the townsite of Clewiston, on Lake Okeechobee, is so far advanced, owing to favorable conditions, that a large part of the staff of Elliott & Harman, who have been in charge of the reclamation project, has been transferred to other operations.

This tract of 2800 acres has practically ceased to be a drainage problem, Mr. Harman says, and is now being turned over to a construction force of hundreds of men who will hasten the completion of streets, sidewalks and water mains in anticipation of the building program. A number of streets are graded, others are receiving a mail base as a foundation for hard surfacing, and sidewalks have been laid about the grounds of the new hotel.

The Clewiston sub drainage district, it is stated, is the first

large area on Lake Okeechobee to operate under complete water control. The townsite, with an area of about five square miles, is served by two pumps, each of 30,000 gallons per minute and capable of providing a runoff, by the main and lateral canals, of seven inches of surplus water over the entire district in 24 hours.

Work is still progressing, according to Mr. Harman, with the sinking and cancellation of the 43,000 acres of the Sugarland drainage district of which Clewiston is a part. This district includes land that the growth of sugar cane to supply the sugar mills of the Southern Sugar Company, recently incorporated, and a tract of wards of 20,000 acres which will be cut up into small farms for truck gardening, fruit growing and dairying. Water control for this district is provided for by the installation now under way, of three 54-inch pumps having a capacity of 180,000 gallons per minute. Two of these are reversible as a protection against over drainage in excessively dry weather.

AROUND THE LAKE

Guy Stovall, formerly of Pahokee, has been elected secretary of the Okeechobee Chamber of Commerce to take the place of the man who came from Washington, D. C., and then resigned to practice law.

Dr. R. R. Teller has moved from Homestead to Torry Island, where he has a fine farm of vegetables and avocado trees.

Louis G. Freeman of Cincinnati, Ohio, who owns land on Kraemer Island and on the mainland, is making Pahokee his headquarters while in Florida this winter.

The Greek colony farming Ed Forbes land on Ritta Island is turning a boat to Chosen, where vegetables are loaded on a truck and taken to West Palm Beach and Miami on alternate trips.

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THE EVERGLADES NEWS

HOWARD SHARP

Editor and Manager

Issued Every Friday

DUBIOUS DISTINCTION

A firm in Miami advertises: "Avoid Personal Liability. You can avoid personally signing notes, mortgages or contracts by incorporating under the 1925 corporation law of Florida, which is the simplest and most liberal of all the states, requiring no reports and having no annual tax."

If the advertiser summarizes the 1925 corporation law correctly and fairly the Florida incorporation law is indeed a unique thing.

These new Florida corporations—being like other corporations "without souls"—have privileges that persons have not but they pay no annual tax for the exercise of the privilege; making no reports they have rights without duties.

There were higher standards of personal probity and commercial honor before Legislatures entered into competition with one another to see which could enact the "most liberal" incorporation laws.

THE CATS MEOW

REV. SIDNEY J. CATTS of De Funiak Springs is again a candidate for governor, according to a statement he made to a Palm Beach county man at Tallahassee this week. Mr. Catts was governor preceding Cary A. Hardee. During his term as governor he was a candidate for United States senator and was defeated by Duquesne U. Fletcher. In 1924 he was a candidate for governor, running second to John W. Martin, and ahead of Frank Jennings.

Mr. Catts as governor aided in effecting the establishment of the Smith-Hughes agricultural vocational school at Canal Point. He owns a farm at Moore Haven. In his term as governor he was a staunch supporter of the policy of advancing work in the Everglades.

He is not likely to be nominated for governor, but he continues as a candidate in 1926 he will give all of the other candidates a good deal of embarrassment.

FOR HOME RULE

Florida has some funny laws, survivals of the old slave-holding days. The state has always been Democratic in partisan politics but before the Civil War it was an oligarchy and oligarchy, the rule of a few voters not being trusted. It may have been a system and a method proper for the time and the people of that period but it does not fit present conditions and the people of this period.

The plan of a county board of public instruction, with local trustees who have little or no power, is an instance of an old method not fitted to present conditions.

Control of the affairs of special road and bridge districts by the boards of county commissioners, identical in principle with the plan of school control, likewise is not fitted to present conditions.

Both methods are undemocratic and violate the principle of local government or home rule. The principle rests on the outrageous system of control of Everglades Drainage District by five state officials at Tallahassee, none of whom have their residence in the district.

"Keeping the white trash in their place" was well effected by forbidding residents of a community the control of their schools and it saved the slave-owning planters the payment of taxes necessary to maintain good rural schools. But it was a system that bred "trash" instead of promoting literacy.

Control of road work by boards of county commissioners gave the county seat politicians a leverage to compel adherence to their crowd but it prevented the development of initiative and enterprise on the part of rural residents.

Fortunately the practices of the old Florida are passing and improvement is coming about. Nothing lasts forever. A good many of the residents did not know there was a better method; as they learn that there are better methods they are accepting and adopting them.

IN LIEU OF GOLF

The Editor's Own Column

"I see by the papers," as Mr. Dooley used to say, that "Mrs. George A. Bartlett and husband," of Nevada registered at a San Francisco hotel—registered just that way, and because the wife's name came first there is a good deal of comment on it by serious editorial writers as well as by paragraphers. Husband George talked very frankly about the form of registering and wasn't a bit embarrassed.

This must be the George Bartlett I used to know in Eureka, Nevada, a good many years ago, and recollection of an incident there in which George had parlayed in with the reminiscences of booms as observed by a tramp printer-editor.

I got a job in Eureka on the Second and a weekly, the only paper in the county, because the foreman was going into San Francisco for a stay at a hospital. A Skillman and his son who is a lawyer but Mr. Simon is a politician. Skillman and a partner had established the first newspaper north of San Francisco (maybe it was the second paper) and he knew Mark Twain in Virginia City. The type was newspaper and moved and was cast in a Scotch foundry and in being moved from place to place was twice on ships that sank. Skillman was a good printer but not much of an editor, always having had a writing man as a partner. His last partner was a prominent politician who fed dead while making a speech. Skillman was a half-way writer and half-way printer but he was fully qualified as a faro dealer. This was back in the days now immortalized in song and story and moving picture plays, when the faro dealer was the local hero. The printer who had gone into San Francisco to the hospital had done most of the writing on the paper; in his absence George Bartlett, a young lawyer, was engaged as reporter-editor. George turned out to be a good lawyer, a good politician, anyway, for he is a district judge now—but he wasn't much of a writer. There were rime deaths in the county in 1926 and George called on me for help in writing the obituaries.

Writing nine obituaries was some job, for in these days it was usual to write a death notice that gave the biography of the deceased and listed all his virtues, whether the deceased had them or not. George took four of the deceased and I took four and "jettied" for the fifth and I got stuck with it. I wrote the obituaries on my list and turned the gun in to George before he wrote his. The greatest genius in the world can say only so much in an obituary—there are certain literary limitations. And although a good sweeper can enlarge the vocabulary considerably, classic language and not the vernacular is called for in writing obituaries. When George read the five obituaries I had written, he complained bitterly that I had used up all of the words, not leaving him enough with which to pay tribute to the virtues of the departed and tender enough condolence to the surviving friends and relatives.

The next I heard of George Bartlett—for I left Eureka when the foreman came back from San Francisco—was when I saw in a western newspaper the facsimile signature of the officers of the legislature to the law that allowed the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons prize fight in Reno on St. Patrick's day of 1897. George was clerk or secretary of one of the branches of the legislature.

And now George has gone and got married and has a wife that believes in equality and gets her name written first in a hotel register. I guess that now again George finds that in some instances of the use of the American language the words have been used up before he has a chance.

RAIN AT RITTA

D. W. Beardsley reports the rainfall at Ritta since August as follows:

September, 1.86 inches.
October, 1.88 inches.
December, 1.78 inches.

This makes the total for the year 56.73 inches.

COMMUNITY GOSSIP

L. N. Simon of West Palm Beach, who stopped in Canal Point this week on his way home from a visit in Tallahassee, did not say much about his conversations with the state officials he went to Tallahassee to call on, but we opine that he have heard the dialogues would have been a rare treat to all who know Mr. Simon as we of Canal Point. Mr. Simon says he called on State Treasurer John C. Luning and Attorney General J. B. Johnson. Mr. Luning is as suave as an unctious cheese. Mr. Simon is as bland as Bre Hart's Chifman. Mr. Johnson is a lawyer, a state senator and it bored him to resignation and a politician—well, when I think of politicians I think of the line.

"A politician... one that would circumvent God." Mr. Johnson, as I am saying is a politician; Mr. Simon has a son who is a lawyer but Mr. Simon is not a politician.

Mr. Luning has been on the board of trustees of the internal improvement fund more than any of the other members; likewise longer than any member of the board of commissioners of Everglades drainage district; he knows a good deal about state lands and drainage, and the relation of one to the other. As he himself would say, in his home town Mr. Johnson holds himself out to be a lawyer; he is one of the ablest lawyers in the state.

When St. Thomas Aquinas was asked in what manner a man might best become learned, he answered, "By reading one book," which Southern commentators, "The homo unius libri is indeed proverbially formidable to all conversational figurantes." Beware of a man of one book.

Mr. Simon is a man of one book and that is the book of land boundaries. In Tallahassee he talked to Mr. Luning and Mr. Johnson about the boundary of land fronting on Lake Okechobee, and I apprehend that not all of Mr. Luning's unctuousness and Mr. Johnson's adroitness could prevail against him in a serious discussion of the subject. On riparian rights Mr. Simon can tangle up a Philadelphia lawyer.

It would have been entertaining, no doubt, to have heard the dialogue. Entertaining and probably nothing more. In the last analysis Mr. Simon's law and every other authorities' law will be interpreted in the supreme court. He who laughs last laughs best.

They are feminine wherever you see them or wherever they are. Looked like a pair out of the office window Sunday morning—an apparition—are we on Fifth, the avenue of avenues, or in the Everglades? Is it Billy Burke or Geraldine Farrar? The posture, the gown, the shoes, the hair, the eyes either Paris or New York. All women are pretty, some are just prettier than others. We don't know who you are, we would like to know, hope you come again so we can see you and our country girls not only like your style but we notice they catch it quick and look as handsome as any of the cities well groomed.

LETTERS FROM READERS

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 5, 1926
A friend of mine gave me several copies of your wonderful paper. I am sure that he has the times, did not realize there was a paper in the Glades. Am receiving the Lake Worth paper and am sure that we ever see anything about what is doing in the Glades. I had the pleasure of being general sales agent for Ryan & Greenwald when we sold the 80,000 acres of

COMPARATIVE MONTHLY RECORD OF RAINFALL AT CANAL POINT, FLA.

	1922	1923	1924	1925
January	1.13	2.71	4.33	1.79
February	1.39	1.38	1.13	1.13
March	1.29	1.29	1.13	1.13
April	2.12	2.17	3.38	1.13
May	6.14	6.30	2.27	9.67
June	1.60	6.30	4.84	8.08
July	10.60	7.25	9.16	8.34
August	8.25	11.27	10.66	7.71
September	12.31	11.37	9.26	2.25
October	10.26	3.17	18.45	2.25
November	3.20	1.49	3.36	2.25
December	.62	.45	.06	.293
Totals	59.44	49.86	90.42	56.91

THE Bank of Canal Point

Hopes soon to open its doors for business, and in so doing hopes to render a service to the community.

We will start by trying to help the young people anticipate their requirements for next Christmas. We would like to see the young people join a

Christmas Savings Club

We will give five prizes of \$5.00 each, to be placed in the Christmas savings account, to the credit of the first five people bringing in the correct solution to the following problem.

These Christmas Savings Club accounts will be carried in the regular savings department of the bank, will draw interest and may be withdrawn any time after Dec. 5th, 1925.

Sincerely yours,

The Bank of Canal Point

W. R. BONHAM, Cashier.

Glades lands. I had faith in the Glades and stuck to my holdings, while at times it was rather expensive.

Has the P. E. C. railway concluded to extend their road south from Canal Point? I am still in the immigration business, taking my people to the Imperial valley, California, each month, but I am getting the Florida fever. As soon as you have the Glades in shape to farm I will then get the boy with the straw hat, blue shirt and overalls and bring him down and make your country bloom. That's what you now need. Enclosed money order for your paper; also send me several of your back numbers.—J. M. Collins.

GLADES WEATHER

Canal Point			
Temperature, sunshine and rainfall record at Canal Point, Florida, for the week ending January 3, 1926.			
Date	High	Low	Rainfall
Jan. 1	64	41	-----
2	70	41	-----
3	73	42	-----
4	73	46	-----
5	75	43	-----
6	78	44	-----
7	81	50	-----
Average	75	43	-----
Gauge above lock, 172 feet; gauge below lock, 156 feet.			

Everglades Experiment Station, Belle Glade, Florida
Temperature, rainfall and evaporation for the week ending Saturday, January 2, 1926.

Date	Max.	Min.	Rain.	Evapo.
Jan. 1	67	41	-----	0.103
2	67	48	-----	1.108
3	64	42	-----	1.410
4	70	42	-----	0.121
5	71	50	-----	0.082
6	71	54	-----	0.109
7	73	55	-----	0.109
8	73	50	-----	0.109

GEO. E. TEDDER, Recorder.

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SHOWS HIS FRIEND REAL FARM LAND

To prove to his friend B. T. Harsh of Louisville, Ky., that there is some good farming land in Florida, C. A. Barnett brought Mr. Harsh out to East Beach Monday. Mr. Barnett is a member of the firm of Butler, Barnett & Taylor and was an engineer on the Conners Highway job from the start of that enterprise and it was from that association with George O. Butler and Alex Taylor that came the organization of the present engineering firm. He and Mr. Harsh were friends in Owensboro, Ky.

Mr. Harsh runs the Louisville Bedding Company and also farms, his farm being in the Kentucky county in which he and Mr. Barnett used to live and where they knew one another many years ago. They walked through the potato patch east of the Custard Apple Inn and looked at the beans and peppers and Mr. Harsh remarked that "this is real soil and a real farming proposition; the east coast and may be good to make concrete with but I don't think much of it for farming." They drove down to Pahokee before leaving East Beach.

Mr. Barnett recalled that when he started on the Conners Highway job he pitched his first camp at a point near the canal bank where is now the printing office of The Everglades News.

A FLOATING HOTEL

The houseboat Take It Easy was towed in Tuesday afternoon and moored on the south side of the canal east of the lock. The boat is owned by A. J. Davis of Okeechobee, from which place it was towed to Canal Point. Mr. Davis' daughter said the boat would be laid up here and used as a hotel. Signs on the boat say meals are served and lodgers accommodated.

CANAL POINT WON

The base ball game at Canal Point Sunday resulted in a score of 14 for Canal Point to 4 for Belle Glade.

M. E. CHURCH NEWS

Ap lay was given at the church New Years eve "The Hour of Shadows." Characters: Mrs. Walter Tracy, Mrs. Joe Tracy, Mrs. Wesley Lowe, Miss Estelle Redler, Margaret Sherrod, Dorothy Griffin and P. N. Uptegrove. A splendid play. Sunday school 10 a. m.; prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The pastor and family will leave Friday for Immokalee; he will preach there Sunday, returning to Palmdale the third Sunday, and home for the fourth Sunday.

Wm. Jesse Thomas, Pastor.

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CANAL POINT MARKET

Score 'Nother Bathtub This For Canal Point

Here is another item that will irritate the people who are opposed to incorporation of Everglades communities and the installation of water works and sewer systems:

Another bath tub has come in. A resident of Canal Point is the possessor. As the matter of bath tubs is "a private matter" the name of the offending purchaser is withheld.

Bath tubs are so rare in the Everglades that the addition to the small list must be recorded as a matter of news even if the paper loses a subscriber by it.

CANAL POINT

Mrs. Herman Mast of Goff, Kansas, was a caller in Canal Point yesterday. F. J. Watkins brought her out because she wanted to see the country. Her husband owns the south half of section 35, of which Mr. Watkins owns the north half.

Mrs. Sasser returned from Georgia Sunday where she spent the holidays.

Tommie Griffith has returned from Fort Myers, where he went to get his wife, who spent the holidays at her former home. Crate Tucker has returned from a long stay at Miami.

What looked like a fire on Lake Okeechobee last week is said by boatmen to have been trash burning near Ritta, where farmers are clearing land.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Harsha of New York were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Magaw.

Mr. Harsha is erecting an 85-apartment building in El Cid.

The houseboat that was moored on the lake front between the bridge and the F. E. C. station is occupied by E. M. Farrington of 392 Fifth Avenue, New York, a friend of M. F. Myer of West Palm Beach, the dredging contractor. Mr. Farrington has hunted ducks on Lake Okeechobee each winter for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McConair who lived in Canal Point until about a year ago, were visitors here Sunday. They moved late in the fall to Sherman, where he is employed in the St. Andrews Bay Lumber Company's mill. They were accompanied by two friends who they brought down to show the bean fields.

Houseboat Goes From Lake to Lake via Canal

Piloted by H. A. Cornell of Orlando, the houseboat Eagle was locked through at Canal Point Sunday on route from Eau Claire to Kissimmee, moved by a tow boat. Will Driver of Kissimmee is the owner of the Eagle. He and Mr. Cornell reported that they came into West Palm Beach for the voyage through the canal under a permit issued by Glenn V. Scott of West Palm Beach, assistant district engineer, and they complained of what they said was the discourtesy of the crew of the dredge Caloosahatchee, not pausing in the work for them to pass easily. Mr. Cornell said that he took a boat two months ago by way of Caloosahatchee river and canal and found the water fairly good.

Home Folk Buy \$4,000 Lot North of Canal

Sale of lots 34 and 35 in block 1 of the townsite north of the canal has been made to J. H. Snyder and Mrs. Fannie Buchanan at \$4,000. The two lots have a frontage of 50 feet on Canal street and are about 100 feet from Conners Highway and are the former site of the Custard Apple Inn, which has been moved to the block east on the same street. The buyers already owned lot 2 in the same block, lot 2 being north of the corner of Conners Highway and Canal street.

Mr. Snyder is a trucker who lives north of town and Mrs. Buchanan is the wife of W. F. Buchanan.

The lots were bought as an investment and there are no immediate plans for building on them.

Acme of Marital Bliss
A successful marriage is one in which the wife is home but doesn't know it.—Toledo Blade.

DR. HARRIS QUILTS

Okeechobee Veterinarian Returns To His Island Farm

Because of poor health that originated during service in France, Dr. E. D. Harris has resigned as county veterinarian of Okeechobee county and his resignation was accepted by the county commissioners this week when his successor qualified. The new county veterinarian is Dr. Oroyzabel, a graduate of Ohio state university, who has been located at Sebring.

Dr. Harris came through Canal Point Tuesday on his way to Kraemer Island, where he will live on his farm until his health permits him to make plans for his future. He was state veterinarian of Florida several years ago.

A veterinarian is required in Okeechobee county because native cattle are being slaughtered there and the carcasses trucked to the east coast after being held in cold storage for a time. The slaughtering house is operated by Mason Holmes, formerly of Fort Pierce.

LOOK FOR LOCATIONS

When W. R. Bonham came out from Lake Worth Wednesday morning he was accompanied by Mr. Long of Toledo, Ohio, who owns land on Hillsboro canal and a Mr. Moritz, lately from Dresden, Germany. Mr. Moritz is an architect but if he finds the right kind of a proposition he will try to interest some of his Dresden friends in an Everglades development proposition.

ELECTIONS IN 2 ROAD DISTRICTS

The area of Gladesville drainage district, located on the south side of Okeechobee road canal, having been made a special road district under an act of the 1925 legislature, an election will be held in that district February 2 to select the three supervisors the law provides for. The polling place will be at the clubhouse and the officers of election are James E. Gilmore, W. L. Ross and Mrs. W. L. Ross, inspectors, and Mrs. J. E. Gilmore, clerk.

An election will be held on the same date to select three supervisors of Highlands Glades special road district, also created by special act of the 1925 legislature. This election will be at the Geerworth clubhouse and the officers of election are F. A. Shadinger, W. N. Thompson and William Cole, inspectors, and Mrs. Thompson, clerk.

Only electors who are freeholders resident in the district are eligible to vote.

The Gladesville district is known locally as "the Matthews development" and is the site of the Palm Beach banana plantation. Highland Glades district is the H. G. Geer development in which Paris Singer and H. C. Rorick have taken an interest and made Mr. Matthews the manager. One of the roads in the latter district is to extend through the property on a north and south line and connect Conners Highway and Okeechobee road.

Misses Eunice Swicord and Lois Oliver returned from their Christmas vacation Sunday, which they spent at home. They were met in Okeechobee by Wm. P. Jernigan, Jr. and Henry Kolstad.

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Canal Point, Florida

CHICKEN SUPPER

The Woman's Civic Improve-

ment Club of Canal Point will night week, January 15. They give a chicken supper to raise funds for the club on Friday. Held will be announced later.

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Ask Jack Barrett or Olaf Boe if the Kohler plants are all right. Both of them are pretty good electricians even if one of them is in the real estate business and the other runs a restaurant. They have a Kohler and they tell us it is wholly satisfactory. Or ask O. P. Griffin. When he enlarged his store and needed more light he too got a Kohler. We are agents in this territory. If you want a little book that tells about these lighting plants let us give you one.

Some of the 1926 Calendars are still on hand. If you didn't get one we'll be glad to pass one out to you.

CANAL POINT GARAGE.

R. W. SHACKFORD, Proprietor

THE CLINTON COBURN COMPANY

CANAL POINT

Stock Is Still A Bit Shy

But We Are Serving The Public

Some Aluminum Cooking Utensils came in this week and are on the shelves. The ladies of East Beach know the merits of these goods; come in and see just what we have and inquire the prices.

Growers will be interested in the fact that we have received some Cole Planters. If there is any more planting to be done this season here's your chance to own a Planter of your own.

Furniture is in transit; that means we've got the bill and have paid it so it ought to be here soon. Part of it is wicker Chairs, Rockers and Settees, good for indoors or outdoors. There are some steel Cots and comfortable Pads in the same shipment.

Be sociable; come in if you have time for a call, whether you do any business with us or not.

Clinton Coburn Company

FURNITURE

HARDWARE

ARE FLORIDA VALUES SOUND

?

For one class of people this means—does it not?—"Can I make a living there?" For another class, "Can I make money there?" Both classes and all want to avoid too much risk of their labor and money. They think of their old age and the comfort of wives and children.

For its part Pahokee's answer to the question is "Yes! Florida's values are sound. You can make a living here and make money here.

This page advertisement is Pahokee's contribution to the anti-Florida propaganda, if there is such propaganda. It is an invitation to all sceptics to come to the Pahokee district and see the economic foundation of Florida's material wealth.

Bankers, merchants, professional men—all classes of people on the East Coast—should see the crops that are growing in the Pahokee district. It will confirm and strengthen their confidence in South Florida.

For the moment Pahokee is not on a main line of travel; it must be sought; for it cannot be seen from Conners Highway.

Drive from West Palm Beach to Canal Point, then down the lake front road and through Pahokee to the town's back country. The roads are not good but they are passable. The visitor will see that the construction of good paved roads is under way. And the thought will come, What a magnificent country this will be when the roads are finished! What splendid values there are here!"

Here is soil that requires no fertilizer—it is as productive in its natural state as is land on which fertilizer is placed at the rate of a ton to the acres; a water-control system that protects the land from flooding; here is the same Lake Okeechobee that is listed as a great asset to other towns on its shores; the best fishing is in Pelican Lake and Pelican Bay, which you can see on your trip of inspection.

This is not a townsite promotion; we have no ulterior motive in this invitation—it is tendered for no other reason than to back up the splendid enterprise of the men who have put millions into the East Coast, providing for a population that has to be fed.

Come out to East Beach, ride through Pahokee's back country, see the snap beans, potatoes, green peppers, eggplants and other vegetables growing in mid-winter. Then look at the market reports and see what the products of Pahokee soil are selling for.

Then you will never doubt that the values are sound.

SEE PAHOKEE

FLORIDA EAST COAST RAILWAY

(Flagler System)

CONDENSED SCHEDULE

Effective Nov. 2, 1925.

Departure for Okeechobee

No. 134 Mixed Coaches - Lv. 3:00 A.M.

Northbound

No. 76 All Pullman - 3:40 A.M.

No. 86 Coaches-Sleepers - 4:10 A.M.

No. 30 Coaches-Parlor Car - 7:50 A.M.

No. 84 Coaches-Sleepers - 9:15 A.M.

No. 94 Coaches-Sleepers - 10:40 A.M.

No. 36 Coaches-Sleepers - 9:10 P.M.

No. 38 Coaches-Sleepers - 8:15 P.M.

No. 40 Coaches-Sleepers - 9:30 P.M.

No. 42 Coaches-Sleepers - 10:40 P.M.

Southbound

No. 75 All Pullman - 12:24 A.M.

No. 35 Coaches-Sleepers - 12:55 A.M.

No. 37 Coaches-Sleepers - 1:25 A.M.

No. 41 Coaches-Sleepers - 6:35 A.M.

No. 39 Coaches-Sleepers - 7:45 A.M.

No. 35 Coaches-Sleepers - 8:05 A.M.

No. 35 Coaches-Sleepers - 5:35 P.M.

No. 81 Coaches-Sleepers - 6:40 P.M.

No. 29 Coaches-Parlor Car - 9:30 P.M.

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Farm Talk

Howard Sharp

Puts Out \$25 For Rent; Expects To Clear \$500

Town Lots Worth Their Cost Even If Used For No Other Purpose Than Farming

For \$25 cash rental J. N. Tyner has obtained the use of some ground in the Canal Point townsite north of the canal for sixty days and is putting in a crop of Valentine beans. The plot is east of the ridge and north of the base ball grounds and is estimated to contain about three-quarters of an acre, or about 17 25-foot lots. Mr. Tyner wants to leave the first week in March for Oklahoma and he expects to clear \$500 on the bean crop while he enjoys the East Beach climate. The three-quarters of an acre should yield at least 200 hampers of beans which should sell for an average net of \$3.50, a total of \$700, on which the expense will be not much more than \$100.

There probably is no other place in the world where town lots can be used for agricultural purposes with as much profit as on East Beach. But tynerists and many of the east coast real estate speculators can't grasp it.

Sanchez & Hall Lease

Watkins Sec. 35 Land

Sixty acres of the F. J. Watkins land in section 35, on the Buekley ditch two miles east of Canal Point, has been leased by Sanchez & Hall, who will put in a spring crop if they can get the land tractor in time for potatoes and tomatoes. Mr. Sanchez is the pilerdriver foreman for the F. E. C. and Mr. Hall is employed on track maintenance. Mr. Hall is a brother of Claude Hall and came here a year ago from Stuart. He plans to plant corn in the spring and keep some kind of a crop on the land all summer.

Jack Forbes has returned from Miami and will farm his tract on Rittia Island.

Fifty-one Hens Made Profit \$30 In Month

Fifty-one hens laid 763 eggs in December and the portion that was sold brought \$39.45 on the expense of a feed bill of \$9.90, a net return of \$29.55, or a profit of 60 cents per hen per month. These figures given by a reader, reporting on his wife's poultry operations at the farm north of Canal Point and were called out by some references in this paper last week to sales made from a flock of hens on a lot in the Canal Point townsite.

The figures indicate that the eggs sold for above 65 cents a dozen; possibly they sold for more, because 80 cents is the prevailing price in Canal Point in this season, and in addition were the eggs that were consumed at the home.

Notation is made on the sheet which contained the figures: "These hens have more than paid expenses each month for a year." This covers the point sometime brought up that there is a profit in hens for only a few months in the year.

More Pickers Come To Gather Big Bean Crop

Until this week there was a shortage of farm help, bean pickers being scarce and some fruit being lost because pickers would not work in holiday week. Dozens of negro families have come in since New Year's, however, and the shortage has been relieved in the Canal Point-Pahokee district. More help will be needed in a few weeks when the new crop is ready.

Movement of English peas in can loads lots from the south end of the lake will start next week. S. J. Fisher with 70 acres will be the heaviest individual shipper. Express shipments of peas have been made from Canal Point by Melvin Sees and Tiffin Brothers.

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THE COUNTY

The Delray municipal golf course opened for play Friday. Hutchins, Delray's "cowboy of the sea" and college champion wrestler, won a contest with Jack Reese, strong man with a carnival that was playing Delray.

A \$50,000 laundry has been established at Delray. John L. Wann is manager.

Despite the embargo, Lake Worth's buildings, erected in 1925, represented expenditures of three million dollars.

The Lake Worth Lumber Company advertises that it is prepared to supply demands of builders for lime, brick, cement, plaster and lumber, due to the arrival of a large shipment by way of boat to Key West.

SOUTH FLORIDA

\$200,000 was voted at Punta Gorda for site and school building.

East Fort Myers has been joined to the larger sister city and has abandoned its incorporation.

The Universal Chain Theaters Corporation has taken over the John F. Harris theatrical interests at Fort Myers and will erect a new theater.

A boat that was formerly used on Mississippi river tours has arrived at Tampa and will be operated as a floating hotel.

Exports of phosphate from Tampa in 1925 were larger than in 1924.

SOUTH BAY CHURCH

Rev. Thomas accompanied by his family drove over from Belle Glade Sunday afternoon and preached here, service beginning at 7:30. A series of meetings will start here Sunday morning, 11 o'clock, January 31. Be much in prayer that God may send us a great revival. Sunday school 10 a.m. Good attendance, come, join us.

Wm. Jesse Thomas, Pastor.

Negro share-croppers have been sent to Rittia Island to farm the McGeehee land.

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PAHOKEE

Pahokee, June 2, 1925.

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LAKE FRONT SURVEY

The latest report, dated December 16, from the Commissioner of Agriculture's office regarding the lake shore survey made by L. T. B. Southwick, last September in sections 13 and 18, Pahokee, is that "the plat has been handed to the chief field agent, Mr. Richardson, for his approval." Subsequent inquiries addressed to the authorities at Tallahassee have not elicited replies.

PAHOKEE

W. F. Owen, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. M. Todd, left for his home in Plant City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Owen and children returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Ehren, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis left last week for a visit in Georgia.

A new book case has been installed in the school library.

Mrs. Graham is in town Tuesday, Miss Venie Mae Tiffin's place this week.

A number of new pupils has been added to school roll this year.

Mrs. Hudson and sister, Miss Pay Belle Lawrence of West Palm Beach, were in town Tuesday.

Miss Julia Wilder accompanied them home on her way to St. Augustine.

Thomas Dixon, Miss Tommie Gray and Miss Sarah Hansen went to West Palm Beach Wednesday.

Rev. Sam Durance was a visitor here last week. Rev. Durance expects to run a meeting here in February.

Mrs. C. L. Wilder and children spent several days in Plant City last week visiting relatives.

A shipment of new dresses comes in at York's every week. Prices right.

W. J. Larrimore has in a new shipment of shoes.

A senior B. Y. P. U. will be organized at the Baptist church at 6 o'clock Sunday.

Twenty acres of sweet corn have been planted by C. M. Todd and R. E. Smith, who are farming on land that lays in both sections 19 and 20. The corn was planted with the beans and is intended to protect the beans from bad winds, a purpose that has already been served. They have three and a half acres of Red Valentine beans and five acres of English peas and expect to ship in car load lots. Melvin Sees, who is farming adjoining land, is picking from four acres of peas and will have some Lima ready within two weeks.

Mr. Todd says he has made some sales of Refugee beans at \$7.50 per hamper.

Pahokee Garage To Get Ford Music By Radio

In order that the people of East Beach may hear Henry Ford's orchestra play a program of old fashioned dance numbers, Robinson & Elliott have arranged to get Henry Cranston's Atwater Kent receiving set and they invite everybody to come to the Pahokee Garage on next Tuesday evening and hear the orchestra music as it will be broadcasted on the radio. Mr. Cranston's set will be used until the arrival of the set Mr. Robinson has ordered.

Persons who have their own sets can tune in on any of the leading cities of the country 10 to 11 p. m. eastern standard time, January 12. Another program will be given by the Ford orchestra Friday, January 15. The Ford orchestra will be at the National Automobile Show in New York January 9 to 16.

Santa Claus Left His North Pole Ladder

"Some weather in Chicago," E. E. Perrin of Chicago writes on the margin of a clipping from the Chicago Tribune of December 28, the clipping containing a map of the path of cold through the northern part of the United States and the south line of freezing weather. The temperature was 13 degrees below zero at Chicago December 28. Accompanying the clipping was a cartoon in which a householder was represented as telephoning to Santa Claus. "Yes, all your presents were fine, but listen, Santy, you left your ladder leaning up against our house." The ladder was labeled "North Pole." Mr. Perrin is an owner of a tract in the Everglades. No doubt he has noticed that the lowest temperature in Canal Point on Christmas was 45 degrees.

FORD MOTORCADE
B. Elliott was due in yesterday from Jacksonville with eight Ford cars. His partner, B. Robinson, had sent eight drivers to Jacksonville Monday on the train to drive the cars to Pahokee.

BELLE GLADE CHURCH
Rev. Thomas preached a sermon at 11 a. m. Sunday and baptized Miss Olive Redifer, and Miss Tottie Estelle Redifer after the sermon. Sunday school 10 a. m., Mr. Friedman superintendent. Attendance ranging from 22 to 37. A splendid church school. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30. Come, join us, let us worship together.
Wm. Jesse Thomas, Pastor.

J. E. Cochran made express shipments of eggplants two weeks ago, and A. E. Hooper of Pahokee has also made shipments. Lima beans will start within ten days or two weeks. Produce houses are calling for new potatoes and some express shipments have been made from the south end of the lake but few have moved from the Canal Point-Pahokee district. O. P. Griffin and Claude Hall, have shipped some peppers.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Bank of Pahokee, at Pahokee, in the State of Florida at the close of business December 31, 1924.

Resources	Dollars
All other Loans and Discounts	111,541.18
Overdrafts	52.47
United States Bonds	150.00
County and Municipal Bonds	8,000.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	3,180.00
Due from Incorporated Banks	58,008.62
Cash Items	None
Cash on Hand	13,179.97
Total	194,644.29
Liabilities	Dollars
Capital Stock Paid Up	15,000.00
Surplus Fund (Reserve)	2,500.00
Undivided Profits (Loss, Expenses and Taxes Paid)	13,644.90
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	5,247.75
Time Certificates of Deposits	1,353.00
Savings Deposits	350.00
Certified Checks	2,200.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	None
Due to Incorporated Banks	None
Notes Payable	None
Notes and Bills Redeemable	None
Bonds Borrowed	None
Reserve for Taxes, Licenses and Insurance	220.54
Total	194,644.29

State of Florida, County of Palm Beach, ss:
I, E. G. Kilpatrick, Jr., Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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We're suited with the purchase that we make.

But when we are pursued by a salesman, then he's kind.

We are most sure to make a big mistake.

But if we were so foolish, so silly and so blind.

We really did not know the things to choose.

Then some one to do our choosing with a bright and cultured mind.

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STATE GENERAL

The fire department responding to two different alarms ran into the Ku Klux parade when the "konklave" was held at De Land last week. The kluxers are indignant at the competition by the "fire fiend." A majority of the kluxers were masked, only the salaried officers showing their faces.

To make a general survey of the school situation in the state, Edward S. Dew of Dade City, John W. Pelote of Arcadia, Mrs. D. P. Council of Lake Worth, W. M. Edwards of Zellwood have been appointed by Governor Martin. A fifth member is to be appointed later.

At an election voters of Punta Gorda authorized the sale of the municipal electric light plant to the Southern Utilities Company for \$25,000. The private company will sell current cheaper than the city plant has been making it.

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Or if you have a set of your own, tune in on any of the principal stations and get it.

We are having pretty good luck in getting cars from Jacksonville. If you are thinking of getting a car, better tell us about it and let us put you on the list.

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White Bacon, per lb.	25c
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Lard comp. in pails	
2 pound pail	40c
4 pound pail	78c
8 pound pail	1.50
Sweet potatoes, per lb.	5c
Irish potatoes, per lb.	8c
Rutabagas, Turnips, new crop, per lb.	4c

We will save you on other items not mentioned, accordingly.

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